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A new exotic, easy to raise, everblooming house plant with spikes of overlapping pink florets. House plants with glossy green foliage which bloom in about 6 to 9 months from seed. Cultural directions with order.

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The Best and Safest Fertilizer to Use on African Violets or Any Other House Plant. Shipped Postpaid Only with an Order for Plants.

Complete Directions and Aluminum Measuring Spoon
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½ pound Can (makes 125 gallons).....\$.75
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Terra-Lite Vermiculite

We recommend mixing some Terra-Lite with your soil whenever you are repotting your African Violets. We use it in the Greenhouse all the time. It is ideal for starting African Violet leaves.

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4 quart bag—65c; ½ bushel bag—\$1.10
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(Sodium Selenate in CAPSULES)

Easy to use for control of all insects on African Violets and flowering and pot plants. One Capsule lasts 3 to 4 months.
Box of 24—\$1.00. Plus 10c postage if ordered alone.

Pot Rim Protectors

A molded rubber rim which slips over the rim of the pot and makes a tight seal. It is easily removed for reuse and may be cut to any size needed as two pieces or more may be used together. Fine for keeping leaves away from pot and preventing damage to petiole. 3 ft. for 25c; 4 to 19 ft. at 8c per ft. 20 ft. or more at 7½c per ft. (Shipped in pieces of various lengths)

OUR ILLUSTRATED '54 SPRING CATALOG WILL BE SENT YOU SOMETIME IN JANUARY.

Pots for African Violets

These are squatty clay pots with 1 drainage hole. We have found this type of pot extra nice for the growing of African Violets.

4 inch pots—10 for \$2.00, POSTPAID
3 inch pots—10 for \$1.50, POSTPAID

Orders for more than 20 pots of either size or mixed are shipped express collect at 50% off. No order accepted for less than 5 pots of a size.

Books

How to Grow and Bloom House Plants Successfully... .40
How to Grow African Violets.....\$1.35
How to Build Walls, Walks, Patio Floors.....\$1.50
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How to Build Your Fireplace.....\$1.50
Visual Garden Manual.....\$1.50
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You are invited to visit our colorful hardy Chrysanthemum display this fall. The best display will be seen the last of September on through October 15th. Choose from 170 varieties the ones you desire and we will book your order for shipment in Spring of 1954. Field grown clumps available in many of the varieties.

Information, Terms, Etc.

GENERAL TERMS—Cash with Order. We pay delivery charges on all orders of \$2.50 or more, to any point in the United States, unless otherwise stated in catalog. On orders of less than \$2.50, please include 35c to cover costs of postage, packing and handling.

We guarantee safe arrival. Should there be a mistake in your order, advise promptly, we will do our best to correct it. No claims will be given consideration if made more than 10 days after receipt of your package. We will in no case be liable for more than the original purchase price.

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Orders of less than \$2.50 require 35c for postage and packing.

SAINTPAULIAS (African Violets)

NOTICE: All of our Violet plants are shipped in either 2½ or 3 inch pots, and are generally in bud or bloom when shipped. Due to danger of freezing no violets will be shipped during the months of December, January, and February. Orders received during these months are acknowledged and booked for shipment in April or as soon as weather permits. Violets are shipped during the months of November and March according to weather conditions.

ON ALL ORDERS FOR VIOLETS PLEASE ENCLOSE 25c FOR SPECIAL HANDLING WHICH WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND TO HELP INSURE SAFER ARRIVAL OF YOUR PLANTS.

PINK WONDER—Large true pink flowers held above flat apple green foliage. Very outstanding and brand NEW! \$3.50 each.

AZURE BEAUTY—Sparkling fluffy double flowers, mostly white, with light blue shaded petals in center. Large flowers open fully. \$2.50 each.

ROYAL SCOTT (Double Orchid Neptune)—Lovely large, double dark orchid flowers held well above foliage with rosy reverse. \$2.00 each.

PURITY—Free blooming pure white double with apple green foliage. \$2.50 each.

DOUBLE ORCHID GIRL—Large orchid flowers with lovely girl type foliage. \$2.50 each.

DOUBLE ROSE—Double white with rose tinges. Charming. \$2.50 each.

RAINBOW DELIGHT—Large exquisite medium blue double flowers held above dark green slightly scalloped leaves. \$2.50 each.

WHITE

SNOW PRINCE—The best pure white with large waxy white flowers. \$1.50 each.

INNOCENCE—Large slightly creamy white flowers with dark green leaves (very rosy below). \$2.00 each.

BLUE EYED GIRL—White flowers with distinct blue eyes and markings. Choice girl foliage. \$2.50 each.

PAINTED GIRL—Dainty white flowers with edges of petals outlined wine; variable. \$2.50 each.

PINK

PINK GIRL—Beautiful pure pink flowers with small ruffled girl leaf. \$1.50 each.

PINK CHARM—Unusual and unique flowers with six petals, occasionally more, above very dark green foliage. Lovely pink. \$3.25 each.

PINK CHEER—A fine new deep pink with lovely dark foliage. \$2.50 each.

PINK DELIGHT—Large cameo pink flowers above bronze green foliage. \$2.50 each.

QUEEN BETTY—The two upper petals are blush pink, while the three lower petals are blush white. \$2.50 each.

OPAL GIRL—Soft opal pink flowers. \$1.75 each.

RED

CALIFORNIA DARK PLUM—Very deep plum red flowers on a pretty plant. This is one of the best reds. \$2.50 each.

RED LADY—A fine non-fading dark red with nice girl foliage. One of the best. \$2.50 each.

RED PRINCESS—Free blooming with lovely red flowers borne well above green foliage. Popular! \$2.50 each.

RED KING—Claret red flowers very dark toward center. A beautiful plant with underside of foliage wine red. \$1.50 each.

BLACK RUBY—A lovely red violet with ruby throat. \$2.00 each.

GENEVA RAINBOW—Solid burgundy red flowers with sugar white twinkling edge. \$2.50 each.

RED GIRL HYBRID—Large reddish flowers with girl type foliage. \$1.50 each.

PAINTED BALLERINA—Dark orchid flowers above lovely dark green girl foliage. \$1.50 each.

HUGHES HOLLY—Orchid flowers with blackish red rippled foliage. \$2.00 each.

INDIANOLA—Many light orchid flowers with darker eye contrast beautifully with dark green foliage which has a rosy reverse. \$2.50 each.

TAFFETA—Light lavender flowers. Mature foliage has taffeta sheen. \$2.50 each.

ORCHID WONDER—Orchid colored flowers shading from light orchid to deeper orchid coloring in the center. \$1.50 each.

RED BICOLOR—Two upper petals are red violet, very intense at the tips, while the three lower petals are pale orchid pink. \$1.00 each.

BLUE

GENEVA DAUGHTER—Medium blue flowers with a twinkling white edge and lovely girl foliage. Heavy bloomer. \$2.50 each.

STAR SAPPHIRE—Lovely large truly star shaped flowers. A blue gem with triple the ordinary number of yellow stamens. Patented. \$1.50 each.

LADY GENEVA—Solid blue flowers with pure white twinkling edge. Patented \$1.25 each.

PURPLE KNIGHT—Extra large purple flowers. Choice. \$1.75 each.

BLUE MOON—Large luminous blue flowers full and well rounded. Glossy dark green foliage. \$1.75 each.

BLUE BOBBY—Slightly rounded, medium dark blue flowers with rounded foliage. Free blooming and a nice plant. \$1.75 each.

TOPAZ—Medium blue flowers on a neat growing plant. Free blooming. \$1.00 each.

NORSEMAN—Lovely medium sized porcelain blue flowers. \$1.25 each.

FORGET-ME-NOT—Lovely medium sized baby blue flowers. \$1.50 each.

MARIONETTA—Free blooming medium blue flowers with lovely waxy girl foliage. \$1.50 each.

OTHERS

EVENING SUNSET—Blue flowers with upper petals overlaid pink. A new and novel violet with round dark foliage. \$2.75 each.

GORGEOUS BLUE WONDER—Flowers have white background overlaid iridescent silvery blue, more intense in the center. Heavy bloomer. \$2.50 each.

RUFFLED QUEEN—Heavily ruffled and fringed mulberry rose flowers. \$3.00 each.

YELLOW BROWN GIRL—A novelty with brownish cream flowers. \$2.50 each.

FANTASY—Large lavender flowers flecked and blotched with purple. Most unusual and no two flowers are marked the same. \$2.00 each.

VIOLET GLOW—Sparkling blue lavender flowers with a pinkish cast. \$2.50 each.

EPISCIA--Flame Violet

Violet Hanging Basket Subject (Not true African Violet)

HE-1 Episcia Cupreata Viridifolia—Lovely light green foliage with red-orange trumpet shaped flowers. Erroneously listed as *viridens* in spring catalog. \$1.00 each.

HE-2 Episcia Coccinea—Gorgeous rich bronze foliage with pronounced emerald green veins. Trumpet shaped flowers are flame red. \$1.60 each.

ISOLOMA HIRISUTUM

Red trumpet shaped flowers with yellow lips speckled red are borne at intervals along the stem. The velvety dark green leaves are overlaid with red hair making the plant look like plush. It is easy to grow, requiring culture similar to the African Violet as it belongs to that family. Blooming size plants. \$1.25 each.

TERRACE VIEW IVIES FOR YOUR PLEASURE

IV-20 **Williamsana Ivy**—NEW! Delightfully curled and frilled. Medium sized light green leaves have uneven wide white bands around the margins. One of the finest variegated Ivies. **50c each.**

IV-8 **Parsley Ivy**—Light green wavy leaves which form heavily crimped edges as they mature. **40c each.**

IV-9 **Good's Self Branching**—A very free branching Ivy with a broad heavy leaf rounded on the end and almost forming a heart. **40c each.**

IV-10 **Jubilee Ivy**—A dwarf self-branching plant with closely set, tiny light green leaves with white bands on margins. **50c each.**

IV-3 **Hahn's Ivy**—A very useful, slow growing plant with glossy green leaves. It grows well in the shade, making it especially adapted for a house plant. **25c each; 5 for \$1.10.**

IV-2 **Glacier Ivy**—This Ivy has dainty small leaves which are light green in the center with wide white bands around the margins. Makes a very colorful vine for the house. **40c each; 3 for \$1.10.**

IV-14 **Big Leaf Variegated Ivy**—The large leaves of this Ivy are very attractive with a light green center surrounded by a wide band of cream. **35c each; 6 for \$1.80.**

IV-7 **Green Ripple**—Very rippled deep green leaves which are sharply notched and pointed. **35c each.**

IV-15 **Ideal Ivy**—Medium size slightly curly deep green leaves. Very free branching. **40c each.**

IV-13 **Curly Leaf Ivy**—Has large medium green leaves which are very curly and attractive. **40c each.**

IV-4 **Silver Queen Ivy**—This Ivy has very large curly deep green leaves which have a slight tinge of silver. **40c each.**

IV-5 **Gold Dust Ivy**—Leaves are deep green speckled with yellow giving the appearance on the whole of having been sprinkled with gold dust. **40c each; 3 for \$1.10.**

IV-6 **Fan Ivy**—The leaves of this Ivy are shaped and veined like an old palm fan. Dark green in color and branching quite freely. **35c each; 3 for \$1.00.**

IV-1 **Grape Ivy**—This is one of the toughest vines for the house, especially in those homes in which the air is quite hot and dry. Three glossy, toothed and pointed leaflets make the leaf. **25c each; 5 for \$1.10.**

IV-16 **Sweetheart Ivy**—Small very dark heart shaped leaves. This Ivy is very slow growing. **40c each.**

IV-11 **Telecurl Ivy**—Small deep green tight curly leaves on a very free branching plant. One of our favorites. **40c each.**

IV-17 **Curlicocks**—Self branching with leaves which are crested, waved, or crimped. The young growing tips are tinged red with curliness increased when grown in full sun. **40c each.**

IV-18 **Hahn's Variegated**—A fast growing, small leaved white edged Ivy which is light green in center. It is not as highly variegated as Glacier but vines out rapidly and is not fussy. **40c each.**

IV-19 **Sylvanian Beauty**—A broad oval shaped apple green leaf with free branching habit of growth. A fine plant for the home. **40c each.**

IV-21 **Pixie Ivy**—NEW! A fine miniature self branching Ivy; five lobed. **45c each.**

IV-22 **Geranium Ivy**—NEW! Large oval dark green leaves are deeply curled and crested on outer edges reminding one of a geranium leaf. **45c each.**

RV-1 **Red Ivy (Hemigraphis colorata)**—A semi-trailing plant with purplish red leaves, hence the name Red Ivy. Small white tubular flowers. **45c each.**

TULIP BULBS FROM HOLLAND (Top Size)

RED EMPEROR (Botanical Species)—Dazzling scarlet; very large and early. **15c each; 6 for 70c; 12 for \$1.30.**

PRAESTANS FUSILIER (Botanical Species) — Vermillion orange with 1-4 flowers to a stalk. 10". May 1st. **15c each; 6 for 70c; 12 for \$1.30.**

Yellow Emperor (Cottage) — Large deep golden yellow. Mid-May.

Golden Harvest (Cottage)—Large lemon yellow. Height around 26". Early May.

Insurpassable (Darwin)—Medium large lilac. Height 26".

Elmus (Triumph)—Carmine red edged white. Height 18". Early May.

Bandoeng (Triumph)—Medium large deep mahogany red edged gold. Height 16". Early May.

Princess Margaret Rose (Cottage)—Yellow, orange-red edge, Height around 24". Mid-May.

White City (Cottage)—Extra large pure white. Height around 28". Mid-May.

Dillenburg (Breeder)—Orange edged apricot. Height 26".

Louis XIV (Breeder)—Large bluish violet flushed bronze. Height 30". Mid-May.

The Bishop (Darwin)—Large violet purple. Height 24". Mid-May.

Campfire (Darwin) — Blood red medium large flowers. Height 24". Mid-May.

Charles Needham (Darwin)—Large bright scarlet. Height 24". Mid-May.

Pride of Harlem (Darwin)—Large cerise red. Height 28". Mid-May.

Princess Elizabeth (Darwin)—Medium large rose flowers. Height 26". Mid-May.

Queen of the Night (Darwin)—Deep velvet maroon flowers. Blackest tulip. Height 28" Mid May.

Above Tulips—10c each; 6 for 55c; 12 for \$1.00

Parrot Tulips

These tulips have lacinated or fantastically cut petals, grotesquely marked and feathered.

Fantasy—Large salmon pink, flecked with green. Height 22". Mid-May.

Firebird—Vermillion scarlet sport of Fantasy.

Blue Parrot—Very large bluish heliotrope. Height 24".

Orange Favourite—Large orange flowers with green blotches and yellow base. Height 22". Mid-May.

Sunshine—Clear golden yellow. Height 22". Mid-May.

Parrot Tulips—15c each; 6 for 70c; 12 for \$1.30

ORANGE PARROT—Bronzy orange flower; extra large. **25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.10.**

BLACK PARROT—Satiny purplish black; outstanding. Mid-May. **35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$2.00.**

SPECIAL PARROT TULIP OFFER with each kind bagged separately and labeled.

3 each of the 7 kinds offered for \$3.40.

SPECIAL TULIP OFFER (Unlabeled)—25 mixed for \$1.80.

Narcissus (Daffodils)

Rembrandt—Large early golden yellow trumpet and perianth. **Scarlet Elegance**—Deep yellow perianth, brilliant scarlet cup, **Geranium**—Heads of large well formed flowers with pure white perianth and orange red cups.

Cheerfulness—Late double creamy white—white perianth with fully double white and yellow center.

10c each; 6 for 55c; 12 for \$1.00.

Spring Glory—Medium large white perianth and yellow trumpet.

Thalia—Dainty snow white reflexed flowers. 3-5 on each stem.

15c each; 12 for \$1.50

Beersheba—Large flat perianth with perfect white trumpet.

Mrs. R. O. Backhouse—Perianth of ivory-white and trumpet shaped cup of pale apricot, passing to pink.

25c each

Muscari (Grape Hyacinths)

Muscari Armeniacum—Dainty delicate spires of closely set small bright blue bell-like flowers. **50c per dozen.**

Muscari Album—White. **50c per dozen.**

Muscari Plumosum (Feather Hyacinths)—Spikes of violet blue flowers of feathery plume appearance. Bloom in May. **6 for 30c; 12 for 55c.**

Crocus

Yellow, White, Blue, Striped, Mixed.

60c per dozen

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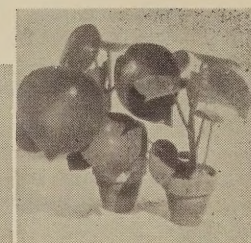
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Pericata

P-8 **Peperomia "Brazilian Queen"**—(unidentified species)—**NEW!** A very outstanding self branching and vining type of Peperomia. It has light green leaves and many branches. Our own introduction. **60c each.**

P-2 **Peperomia Pericata**—A good companion plant to Watermelon Begonia, which is identical in leaf shape. Solid light green leaves with lighter spot where stem joins leaf. **40c each.**

P-3 **Peperomia Scandens**—Vining type plant with many small peperomia-like leaves to a branch. **35c each.**

P-4 **Peperomia Obtusifolia**—Glossy green leaves on erect or semi-trailing stems make this Peperomia a favorite. **30c each.**

P-5 **Peperomia Obtusifolia Variegata**—One of the loveliest plants in this genus is the Variegated Peperomia. The leaves

are irregularly marked, usually with about as much creamy yellow as light green color. **35c each; 3 for \$1.00.**

P-6 **Peperomia Rotundifolia**—A semi-vining type Peperomia from Porto Rico. It is a sturdy but soft and graceful little self branching plant with reddish stems. **40c each.**

P-7 **Peperomia Fosteriana**—A wiry trailing species with closely set leaves of dark olive marked with light veins which follow the outline of the rounded leaf. **40c each.**

P-1 **Peperomia Sandersi** (Watermelon Begonia)—This plant has thick, heart shaped leaves with silver stripes running between the veins. Each leaf gives the appearance of a miniature striped watermelon. **35c each; 3 for \$1.00.**

Cacti and Succulents

A Cacti and Succulent collection you will enjoy. Specify if you desire all Cacti or all Succulent; otherwise collection will be mixed.

6 Plants, All Different, \$1.25
12 Plants, All Different, \$2.10

Hoya (Wax Plant)

HO-1 **Hoya Carnosa Variegata**—A vining house plant with thick waxy leaves edged with cream with an occasional tinge of pink in the leaves. **75c each.**

HO-2 **Hoya Carnosa Exotica**—Golden cream and white leaf blades edged green. **75c each.**

Philodendron

PH-1 (Philodendron Cordatum)

It has graceful vines with glossy, heart-shaped leaves. Requires little care. **30c each; 6 for \$1.60.**

PH-3 (Philodendron Sodiroi)

A choice small growing plant with grey and green silver leaves. **\$1.00 each.**

Maranta Kerchoveana

HM-1 (PRAYER PLANT)

Interesting large oval light green leaves with chocolate blotches on both sides of the midrib. **75c each.**

Arrowhead Nephthytis

Greengold—Arrowhead shaped leaves have greenish cream center with deep green outer edge. Very lovely. **50c each.**

Nephthytis—Dark green arrowhead shaped leaves. It is easy to grow in any home. **30c each.**

Fittonia Argyroneura

Beautiful emerald green leaf netted with contrasting white veins. A very decorative house plant. **65c each.**

Rhoeo Discolor

RH-1 (MOSES IN THE CRADLE)

An unusual house plant with wide leaves which are green on top and red underneath. Small white flowers which are borne in groups surrounded by boat like bracts in the base of the leaves. Very colorful. **60c each.**

Saxifraga Sarmentosa

SA-1 (STRAWBERRY BEGONIA)

It produces many runners, each carrying one or more plantlets. Leaves are green above with striking white veins, and reddish below. **30c each.**

Palms

PL-1 **Paradise Palm**—This is the Palm usually seen at parties, weddings and funerals; also called Kentia. **75c each.**

PL-2 **Date Palm** (Phoenix roebelinii)—A palm with feathery type leaves. **75c each.**

PL-3 **Neanthe, Bella Palm**—A choice slow growing dwarf palm. **75c each.**

Panamigas

HP-1 (PILEA INVOLUCRATA)

Quilted dark green leaves with greenish Ming pod shaped blooms. It is known as the South American Friendship Plant. Easy to grow, different and a very nice foliage plant. **40c each.**

Pothos Marble Queen

PH-4 Lovely snowy white leaves blotched with green. A slow growing plant which is very beautiful in planters in the home. This plant requires a warm room and wants to be kept on the dry side. It does not require too much sun. **80c each.**

Pothos Aureus

PH-2 A vine very similar to the Philodendron, except the leaves are variegated, blotched with cream or yellow. **40c each; 6 for \$2.00.**